

# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Alamance County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Alamance County Facts**

- 7,308 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$ 6,309,224 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,161 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.89% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
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##### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
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#### **Alexander County Facts**

- 1,256 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,126,978 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 191 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.21% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Alleghany County Facts**

- 387 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$367,864 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 57 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 14.73% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Anson County Facts**

- 1,385 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,267,966 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 269 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.42% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Ashe County Facts**

- 790 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,090,073 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 188 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 23.80% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Avery County Facts**

- 489 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$501,611 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 74 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.13% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Beaufort County Facts**

- 2,132 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$3,051,012 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 567 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 26.59% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Bertie County Facts**

- 1,011 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$603,745 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 125 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.36% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Bladen County Facts**

- 2,098 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,146,343 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 193 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 9.20% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Brunswick County Facts**

- 3,733 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,085,774 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 721 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.31% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Buncombe County Facts**

- 8,653 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$9,562,578 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1629 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 18.83% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Burke County Facts**

- 3,097 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$3,212,191 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 537 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.34% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Cabarrus County Facts**

- 6,910 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,046,887 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 648 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 9.38% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Caldwell County Facts**

- 2,850 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$3,418,096 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 591 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 20.74% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
- The cost of child care subsidy services is offset by the working families' ability to pay taxes.
- Parents with stable child care arrangements are more focused on the job and make better employees.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Camden County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Camden County Facts**

- 252 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$134,747 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 23 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 9.13% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

<sup>2</sup>Includes Non-Smart Start and Smart Start final allocations (SFY 2016-17) and children served (during 9/17)

##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Carteret County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Carteret County Facts**

- 2,223 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,663,545 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 261 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 11.74% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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#### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Caswell County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Caswell County Facts**

- 938 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$534,712 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 89 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 9.49% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,564 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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### **The Benefits:**

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Catawba County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Catawba County Facts**

- 5,809 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$6,940,972 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,074 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 18.49% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Chatham County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Chatham County Facts**

- 2,049 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,902,048 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 327 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.96% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Cherokee County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Cherokee County Facts**

- 802 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,380,445 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 255 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 31.80% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Chowan County

### SFY 2016-2017

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##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
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##### **Chowan County Facts**

- 782 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$483,098 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 83 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 10.61% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Clay County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

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- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
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- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Clay County Facts**

- 345 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$495,582 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 80 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 23.19% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Cleveland County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Cleveland County Facts**

- 4,387 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,553,201 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 523 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 11.92% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Columbus County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Columbus County Facts**

- 2320 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,030,873 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 395 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.03% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Craven County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Craven County Facts**

- 4,474 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,474,536 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 790 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.66% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Cumberland County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Cumberland County Facts**

- 16,972 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$16,875,391 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 3,211 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 18.92% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Currituck County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Currituck County Facts**

- 711 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$695,446 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 94 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.22% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Dare County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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#### **Dare County Facts**

- 1,183 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$717,666 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 104 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 8.79% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
- Having a good early childhood education experience helps children to be successful in language, math and social skills in school

#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
- The cost of child care subsidy services is offset by the working families' ability to pay taxes.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Davidson County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Davidson County Facts**

- 6,420 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$5,793,460 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,143 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.80% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Davie County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Davie County Facts**

- 1,305 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,124,124 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 224 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.16% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Duplin County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Duplin County Facts**

- 3,670 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,254,334 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 390 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 10.63% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Durham County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Durham County Facts**

- 15,083 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$17,711,454 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1957 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.97% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Edgecombe County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Edgecombe County Facts**

- 3,652 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,410,304 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 360 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 9.86% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Forsyth County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Forsyth County Facts**

- 16,925 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$13,682,654 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 2,552 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.08% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Franklin County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Franklin County Facts**

- 2,488 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,720,882 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 440 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.68% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Gaston County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Gaston County Facts**

- 9,225 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$7,397,343 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,315 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 14.25% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Gates County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Gates County Facts**

- 486 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$225,537 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 49 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 10.08% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Graham County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Graham County Facts**

- 319 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$339,180 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 42 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.17% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Granville County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Granville County Facts**

- 1,694 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,382,602 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 260 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.35% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Greene County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
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- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Greene County Facts**

- 1,068 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$448,952 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 141 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.20% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Guilford County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Guilford County Facts**

- 21,103 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$23,903,575 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 3,309 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.68% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Halifax County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
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- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Halifax County Facts**

- 2,684 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,260,436 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 366 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.64% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
- Having a good early childhood education experience helps children to be successful in language, math and social skills in school

#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
- The cost of child care subsidy services is offset by the working families' ability to pay taxes.
- Parents with stable child care arrangements are more focused on the job and make better employees.
- Receiving subsidized child care assistance offers children a chance to receive an early childhood education which leads to increased success in school and less costs to the community and state in terms of remedial service.

# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Harnett County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Harnett County Facts**

- 5,736 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,987,302 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 844 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 14.71% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Haywood County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Haywood County Facts**

- 1,842 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$3,681,314 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 695 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 37.73% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Henderson County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Henderson County Facts**

- 3,318 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,959,831 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 424 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.78% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Hertford County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Hertford County Facts**

- 1,245 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$935,416 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 242 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.44% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Hoke County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Hoke County Facts**

- 2,911 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,218,729 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 437 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.01% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Hyde County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Hyde County Facts**

- 177 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$111,502 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 5 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 2.82% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Iredell County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Iredell County Facts**

- 5,010 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,485,948 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 850 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 16.97% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Jackson County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Jackson County Facts**

- 1,407 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,266,599 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 333 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 23.67% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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#### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Johnston County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Johnston County Facts**

- 7,733 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$7,732,876 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,049 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.57% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Jones County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Jones County Facts**

- 410 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$562,755 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 90 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 21.95% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Lee County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Lee County Facts**

- 3,384 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,252,783 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 428 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.65% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Lenoir County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Lenoir County Facts**

- 3,420 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,852,962 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 430 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.57% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Lincoln County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Lincoln County Facts**

- 2,771 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,269,434 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 337 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.16% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Macon County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

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- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Macon County Facts**

- 1,050 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,490,202 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 286 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 27.24% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

<sup>2</sup>Includes Non-Smart Start and Smart Start final allocations (SFY 2016-17) and children served (during 9/17)

#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
- Having a good early childhood education experience helps children to be successful in language, math and social skills in school

#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
- The cost of child care subsidy services is offset by the working families' ability to pay taxes.
- Parents with stable child care arrangements are more focused on the job and make better employees.
- Receiving subsidized child care assistance offers children a chance to receive an early childhood education which leads to increased success in school and less costs to the community and state in terms of remedial service.



# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Madison County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Madison County Facts**

- 525 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$626,043 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 68 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.95% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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#### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Martin County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Martin County Facts**

- 1,099 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,142,275 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 238 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 21.66% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## McDowell County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **McDowell County Facts**

- 2,006 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,579,992 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 277 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.81% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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### **The Benefits:**

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Mecklenburg County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Mecklenburg County Facts**

- 39,419 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$46,536,098 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 6,250 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.86% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Mitchell County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Mitchell County Facts**

- 625 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$620,946 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 135 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 21.60% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

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##### **For the Community**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Montgomery County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Montgomery County Facts**

- 1,563 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$847,988 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 133 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 8.51% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
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#### **For the Community**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Moore County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Moore County Facts**

- 3,441 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,320,527 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 427 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.41% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
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#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Nash County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Nash County Facts**

- 3,986 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,950,554 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 456 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 11.44% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## New Hanover County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **New Hanover County Facts**

- 6,537 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$7,382,354 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,520 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 23.25% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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#### **The Benefits:**

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Northampton County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Northampton County Facts**

- 1,159 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$822,985 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 160 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.81% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Onslow County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Onslow County Facts**

- 9,473 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$8,300,637 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,601 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 16.90% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Orange County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Orange County Facts**

- 2,947 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$5,6424,282 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 603 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 20.46% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Pamlico County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Pamlico County Facts**

- 320 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$580,925 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 101 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 31.60% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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### **The Benefits:**

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Pasquotank County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Pasquotank County Facts**

- 1,771 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,796,954 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 355 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 20.05% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

<sup>2</sup>Includes Non-Smart Start and Smart Start final allocations (SFY 2016-17) and children served (during 9/17)

#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
- Having a good early childhood education experience helps children to be successful in language, math and social skills in school

##### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
- The cost of child care subsidy services is offset by the working families' ability to pay taxes.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Pender County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Pender County Facts**

- 2,189 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,594,208 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 290 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.25% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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### **The Benefits:**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Perquimans County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Perquimans County Facts**

- 604 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$417,463 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 85 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 14.07% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Person County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Person County Facts**

- 1,281 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,567,043 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 237 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 18.50% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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#### **For the Community**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Pitt County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Pitt County Facts**

- 8,852 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$9,349,040 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,354 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.30% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
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#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Polk County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Polk County Facts**

- 531 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$532,927 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 102 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.22% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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### **The Benefits:**

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#### **For the Community**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Randolph County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Randolph County Facts**

- 5,845 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$5,145,304 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 931 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.93% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Richmond County

SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Richmond County Facts**

- 2,497 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,832,658 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 339 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.58% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
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### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
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#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Robeson County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Robeson County Facts**

- 8,511 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$7,497,136 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,468 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 17.25% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
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#### **For the Community**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Rockingham County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Rockingham County Facts**

- 3961 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$3,799,997 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 773 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.51% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Rowan County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Rowan County Facts**

- 6,283 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,355,405 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 489 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 7.78% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Rutherford County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Rutherford County Facts**

- 2,646 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,716,491 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 504 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.05% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Sampson County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Sampson County Facts**

- 3,709 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,442,378 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 486 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.10% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Scotland County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
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##### **Scotland County Facts**

- 1,757 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,754,702 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 343 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 19.53% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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#### **The Benefits:**

##### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
- Having a good early childhood education experience helps children to be successful in language, math and social skills in school

##### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Stanly County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Stanly County Facts**

- 2,141 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,003,251 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 350 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 16.35% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

<sup>2</sup>Includes Non-Smart Start and Smart Start final allocations (SFY 2016-17) and children served (during 9/17)

#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Stokes County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Stokes County Facts**

- 1,592 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,201,861 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 222 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 13.94% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Surry County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

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- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Surry County Facts**

- 2,872 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,401,422 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 484 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 16.85% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Swain County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Swain County Facts**

- 718 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$845,456 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 120 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 16.70% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Transylvania County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Transylvania County Facts**

- 1,132 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$1,006,376 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 139 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.28% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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##### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Tyrrell County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Tyrrell County Facts**

- 266 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$105,605 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 28 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 10.52% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Union County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Union County Facts**

- 5,289 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$5,593,586 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 794 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.01% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Vance County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
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- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Vance County Facts**

- 2,694 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,111,880 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 509 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 18.90% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Wake County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Wake County Facts**

- 26,955 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$35,547,842 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 4960 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 18.40% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Warren County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Warren County Facts**

- 681 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$783,220 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 171 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 25.10% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Washington County

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Washington County Facts**

- 820 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$593,365 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 101 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.31% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Watauga County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

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- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Watauga County Facts**

- 1,046 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$748,692 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 132 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 12.62% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Wayne County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Wayne County Facts**

- 7,157 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,752,706 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 1,009 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 14.10% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Wilkes County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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#### **Wilkes County Facts**

- 3,082 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$2,024,380 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 317 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 10.29% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Key Facts about Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Approximately 71,091 children per month receive subsidized child care assistance
- 87% of the children are receiving assistance because their parents are employed
- 79% of the families receiving assistance earn less than \$25,000 per year
- Parents pay a portion of the child care cost by paying 10% of their income as a parent fee

### **The Benefits:**

#### **For Families**

- Helps parents to work and attend school
- Provides a safe setting for children
- Helps children to be better prepared for school
- Having a good early childhood education experience helps children to be successful in language, math and social skills in school

#### **For the Community**

- Working families put a large amount of money back into the local economy and tax system through their employment, earnings and purchase of child care.
- The cost of child care subsidy services is offset by the working families' ability to pay taxes.
- Parents with stable child care arrangements are more focused on the job and make better employees.
- Receiving subsidized child care assistance offers children a chance to receive an early childhood education which leads to increased success in school and less costs to the community and state in terms of remedial service.

# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Wilson County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Wilson County Facts**

- 4,058 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$4,037,996 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 650 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 16.02% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based upon data from the 2008 – 2012 American Community Survey data and July 2017 Population by Age from the North Carolina State Data.

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# **Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities**

## **Yadkin County**

### **SFY 2016-2017**

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

##### **Yadkin County Facts**

- 1,429 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$430,009 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 91 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 6.37% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## Yancey County SFY 2016-2017

### **What Service is Needed:**

#### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

- Helps parents pay for child care so they can work or attend school
- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
- Funded by a mixture of state (20%) and federal dollars (80%)

#### **Yancey County Facts**

- 421 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$197,742 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 50 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 11.87% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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# Subsidized Child Care Assistance Makes a Difference for Children and Communities

## All North Carolina

### SFY 2016-2017

#### **What Service is Needed:**

##### **Subsidized Child Care Assistance**

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- Provides information to parents about how to choose a safe, quality child care arrangement
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##### **North Carolina County Facts**

- 397,009 children are potentially eligible for subsidized child care assistance. Children under age 0-5 whose Parent(s) are working and whose family income is at or below the 200% federal poverty level or children 6-11 whose family income is at or below 133% FPL.<sup>1</sup>
- \$388,675,795 is currently available to serve eligible children.<sup>2</sup>
- Currently 63,110 children are receiving subsidized child care assistance. This represents 15.87% of all potentially eligible children.<sup>2</sup>

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